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HANDFUL OF MEN STAND UFF

Citizens of Escuinapa Boast that They Have Never Surrendered Not Even When Their Town Was Burned. and This Time They Whipped the Rebels Even After Their Ammuni tion Was Gone-Axes and Fishing Harpo ons Their Weapons.

throwing of which the little lads found

Twenty-two Rebels Killed.

Gache killed one robel with his dagger and this rebel's carbine and beit of cartridges was a valuable addition to the defenders equipment. The rebels ran after two and one half hours of fighting in which the Escuinapa contingent fired its last cartridge and then resorted to machete, dagger and fish harpoon work with grim determination. Twenty-two dead rebels lay on the field and some wounded rebels were dragged off by their comrades. Escuinapa had two wounded but no dead. When night fell, the rebels crept in stealthily under cover of darkness, divided into three columns, entering from as many directions. The defenders' guns were no longer any use, as fighting tools for lack of cartridges, and they hid them and adopted the implements of husbandry—axes, machetes, daggers and fish harpoons. The rebels scattered into small looting parties and, the defenders, hiding their mother weapons under their blankets, mixed among them and worked their was to the last house that was being tooted on one side of town, where they began to lay about them and in a few seconds the rebels were all dead or wounded.

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In ghostly stlence this operation was repeated at other houses until some 14 rebels twere put out of commission, and the good work was still going on when about midnight the rebel outposts gave the alarm of an approaching enemy. This turned out to be the military column of the Ojeda, which arrived by forced marches after routing the robels at Rosario the same dar, and the federals entering from different directions spread punic among the booting borden and only a few random rolleys were fired before the scramble for safety began. About 70 dead rebels were counted in the morning 150 rebels' mounts were captured and five prieconers. The federals reported only one wounded of their force and no drad.

Many arms of many kinds were captured and a goodly quantity of ammunition. Other rebel dead are reported in the surrounding brush, wounded who dragged themselves off to die in solitude.

Corpses Are Burned.

Corpses Are Burned. All the corpses that were gathered up were wet with petroleum and burned on the 4th. Some federal deserters were on the till.

Trecognized among the dead. The peuple of the village took the federals into their homes and prepared them

forded.

Gen. Oleda gave the people perminsion to keep the arms they had captured from the rebels and promised to send them more arms and ammunified.

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He said he wished he had 200 men like those of Esculnapa to fill the depleted ranks of his battalion.

On the morning of the Sth. Gen. Oleda's battalion withdrew to Essarlo, and all of Esculnapa that could afford to tide went along in 30 carts and carriages and the others ou forses of afoot, to leave their town so vacant there would be nothing for the rebels to live on until the people could go bath with a garrison to defend them. The next day Gen. Oleda sent back a force of about 100, including 'Gacho' and his doughty boys, to beat the brush around Esculnapa and charse the remnants of the rebel hand into the hills. This force was ied by an humble tailor

Mazatian, Sinaloa, Mexico, May 15—
(By Mail)—Details or the fighting at Escurinapa are leaking through. This is a little town about two days on a mule down the Southern Pacific rainroad track, toward Tepic, the last town of any size before crossing las Cansa river into Tepic. It is the boast of the town, which lives off a scant farming zone, a little stock raising and a season of finding, shrimping and oystering, much dried shrimp beling as ported, to San Francisco for Chinese currendered, although it was burned three times by the handlis of Lexan, the famous Tiger of Alian. In combination with the French during the Maximilian regime. Its people always does on a trangill control, would be always fought to the death and they charled their fighting traditions.

On the morning of the 2rd, about 70 to meet them with always name—and force—at that house position, and took an advantageous position, and the local force, now augmented by the fighting neighborhood to a total of it cavalty and is infantry, the latter led by a cold drink pedicle and his two horse of 12 and 13 years, known as "Gacho," went of the fighting are shocked with the horse wine of the morning of the market of the state of the cold and the local force, now augmented by the fighting the live of the proposition of the proposition of the proposition of the captured to the decard legions from the pedi

to Supposed Advance on Junra.

In May 10.—That Mexican federal troops numbering about 500 are advancing on Juarez and that the rebels there and at Chihuahua intend to provoke American interrention, in the event Orozco is defeated in the battle now going on below Chihuahua, was the tenar of a dispatch received here found by governor Colquitt, who is here from Adjt. Gen. Hurchins.

Governor Colquitt instructed the adjutant general to proceed at once to El Paso must not be placed in danger by combatants on the other side of the Riogrande.

Austin, Tex., May 10.—Acting upon instructions of the government, Gen. Hurchins. Austin. Tex., May 10.—Acting upon instructions of the government, Gen. Henry Hutchins, adjutant general, is now en route to El Paso to watch the fituation there and protect the interests of Texans. This detail was brought about by the possibility of an-

LOOTING OF

Only Strong Leader the Rebels Had, Who Might Have Controled Them, Is Executed by Weak Leaders Jealous of Him, Who Are Forced to Flee From the Horrors of Their Own Doing. Women and Young Girls Outraged.

Cullacan. Sinaioa. May 13—(By Mail)
—Cullacan. The Accursed City. As the control of the control

REBELS ARRESTED: FEDERALS ARE NOT

Tom Lea Says United States Is Not Treating Both Sides Alike.

is the result of the persistent reports which arise in El Paso regarding the recruiting of men for the federal force at Ollings and other points along the border. Tem defended Leon, the man convicted of recruiting soldiers for the rebel cause in the Chamisal and who is

That poor sucker is doing time for something which the federal officials here are boasting of doing and for which they are not made to answer," Tom said Saturday morning. "It has been the open boast of certain federal officials here that they were sending

REFUGEES ON BOARD THE BUFORD

consul.

The "white cross" doctor and nurses fied the city in terror of the vandals who rewarded their merciful ministrations by looting them and threatening them with death if they

other uttack on Juarez which appears highly probable. Gen. Hutching to expected to reach El Paso tomorrow morning. ADVANCE OF HUERTA BEING MADE SLOWLY BEING MADE SLOWLY

Is Carrying Water and Pro-Visions on Trains;

Troops Walking.

Mexico City, Mexico, May 20.—The detail army under fan June 1.

federal army under Gen. Huerta had reached Zavaira Sunday night, nine HAD FIVE RIFLES reached Zavaira Sunday night, nine miles south of Escalon, the rebel stronghold. Telegrams from the front indicated no further hostilities.

Gen. Huerta was carrying with him 25,000 gallons of water, his trains being utilized for this purpose, and the transporting of provisions and artillery. His soldiers are proceeding on foot, making slow progress over the hot desert and repairing bridges as they go

Mail advices dated several days ago missioner's court.

any conversation with foreigners, but there is a general hope that interven-tion would mean a military occupation in force sufficient to quickly pacify the country, and the administration of government for some years until the mass of the people can be brought out of their apathy, when they hope the Americans will withdraw and leave Mexico injust.

Another Governor.

Don Manuel Clauthier was appointed governor of Sinaloa the sixth but he is not expected to do mure than add one more to the long string that have enjoyed the honor in the past 12 months. The people have lost the count and do not know whether he is 13 or 14.

The Maderista recruits which have been flopping over to the rebels in

ere that the place was surrounded ad would not hold out. There are said ble 25 Americans there. To Osaacans who appealed to the resident for troops, assurance was iren that 200 rurales would be sent tonce.

Soldiers Arrest the Man at Washington Park; He Will Be Tried.

oot, making slow progress over the oot desert and repairing bridges as nay go. Pobleis blew out a bridge south of forceon Saturday night near Jimulco. These rebels are believed to have been portion of those recently operating bout Pedricona and Velardona. Zacualpan, a mining camp in the vestern limits of the state of Mexico, is selleved to have failen into the hands of rebels.

Mill DC ITICA.

Soldiers of company B. 18th infantry, arrested Nicolas Lodrillo at Washington park Sunday night with five rifles in his possession. The man was believed to enaking an effort to cross the river with the guns, which were wrapped in buriap. He was delivered to the federal authorities and a complaint charging him with attempting to smuggle arms to Mexico will be filed against him in the United States commissioner's court.

ducing plant from the desert with its gift for man. The guayule has been exploited so widely within the last few years that the name has become fairly well known to the general reader. Present indications are that as a producer of rubber, it soon will have to divide the honors with a new special solution of the country for treatment elsewhere. fairly well known to the general rend-er. Present indications are that, as a producer of rubber, it soon will have to divide the honers with a new spe-cies of rubber plant recently discovered on the table lands of Mexico. Accord-ing to experts, this recent find in the botanical world excels the guayile plant in both quantity and quality of the rubber produced.

All Parts of Plant Used,

And now comes another rubber pro- | 900 pounds of the crude product: 12,000

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000—Corporate Report Made Public.

Washington, D. C., May 20.-Corporate resents the comparative loss in net earnings as reported to Royal E. Cabell, comexcise any law.

In a statement Mr. Cabell says the returns indicate poorer busines conditions with the old Spanish shield in the cen-ter of the circle. This shows the two castles and two rampant Bons on a gron, steel and certain manufacturing iron, steel and certain manufacturing industries.

The gross receipts of corporations did not suffer as great a ratio of decrease as the net. The returns indicate, the commissioner points out, that this was because labor and supply men shared more largely in the receipts of the companies in 1911 than in 1910. This was particularly so in the case of the railroads, he says, which seem gen erally to have paid increased amounts for labor without a corresponding in-crease in income being indicated, in many cases an actual decrease in moune

being shown. Assessment Due In June. The 1 percent assessment on the 1911 net earnings of corporations will turn into the federal treasury about \$28,278,-000, most of which will be paid in June, against \$29,432,000 last year, a decrease of \$1.154.000. The amount probably will be augmented somewhat before the close of the fiscal year. Mr. Cabell says, bringing the decrease below \$1,000,000

Considering business conditions in 1911.

this may be considered safely satisfac-While there was a hig loss in aggregate net earnings, there was an increase of 16,660 in the number of corporations. The number in 1911 was 287,862 as compared with 270,202 in 1916. Of the

total number which filed returns, only 20 percent were found liable to tax. Design Is Accepted and Will Amount of Slump \$175,500,- The manufacturing conditions were reflected in the returns from Connecticut and Massachusetts. In the former state the net proceeds decreased \$6.103,066, and in the latter \$11.332,600.

The assessment for Hawaii, the comussioner remarks, indicates an extremeprosperous condition in the islands,

SANTA FE HAS 190 CASES AGAINST IT

Tombstone, Ariz. May 26. There are 198 complaints against the Santa Fe railroad company to be tried in the United States district court at this place during the session which commences May 28. The cases are on fine above our Nulviola p saszeup ment car limit, there being a law that stock in transit shall not be kept in cars more than 28 consecutive hours.

Heart Flutter

from coffee-drinking usually stops after a change to

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